



General Assembly

February Session, 2000

***Raised Bill No. 156***

LCO No. 1080

Referred to Committee on Education

Introduced by:  
(ED)

***An Act Concerning The Sixth Grade State-Wide Mastery Examination.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Subsection (b) of section 10-14n of the general statutes is repealed  
2 and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:

3 (b) Each student enrolled in the sixth grade and each student  
4 enrolled in the eighth grade in any public school shall annually take a  
5 state-wide mastery examination. Such mastery examination shall be  
6 provided by and administered under the supervision of the State  
7 Board of Education. For the school year commencing in 2003, and for  
8 each school year thereafter, the sixth grade state-wide mastery  
9 examination shall measure skills in the areas of science, information  
10 technology and citizenship as well as reading, language arts and  
11 mathematics.

***Statement of Purpose:***

To include science, information technology and citizenship components on the sixth grade mastery examination beginning in 2003.

*[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]*